

Docket No. 201989US3  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hirokazu SAKAI, et al.  
SERIAL NO: 09/760,786  
2<sup>nd</sup> RCE FILED: October 9, 2003  
FOR: DETERGENT CONTAINER WITH MASSAGE BRUSH



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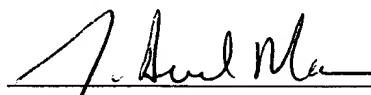
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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